1 out of 3 children born in the year 2000 will develop diabetes in their lifetime.\textsuperscript{1}

Each year over 18,000 youth are diagnosed with type 1 diabetes and over 5,000 youth are diagnosed with type 2 diabetes.\textsuperscript{2}

**Who’s Affected?**

New cases of *type 1* diabetes are more common in non-Hispanic white youth

New cases of *type 2* diabetes are more common in minority youth and those aged 10-19

Research shows type 2 diabetes is aggressive in children. Early and aggressive treatment is important to help children and teens with type 2 diabetes control their blood sugar levels and reduce the risk of health problems.\textsuperscript{3}

Some youth with type 2 diabetes show early signs of heart disease and kidney damage.\textsuperscript{4}

To learn more about diabetes in children, visit www.YourDiabetesInfo.org/Youth.

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